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## T. P. Peterson New Pres. E.M.T.A.

WAS ELECTED AT ANNUAL  
MEETING LAST WEEK

Our fellow townsmen T. P. Peterson was elected president of the East Michigan Tourist Association at the annual meeting of that organization last week Thursday. He succeeds Bruce Anderson, who is the manager of the Olds Hotel, Lansing.

Mr. Peterson has identified himself with the duties of that association for many years past and taken an active part in its progress. Having been born in Grayling and lived here all his life and been identified in local industrial circles, the promotion of the tourist and resort business has always been one of the upmost civic principles of his career. He has always taken an active part in the promotion of worthy civic affairs. At an early age he began work in the lumber industry, starting as stenographer. By his industry and splendid ability his rise was rapid and today he is considered one of Grayling's leading citizens. He is the owner and manager of Grayling Lumber & Supply Co.

He is president of Grayling Board of Education, and is past president of Grayling Board of Trade, and for several years served as Village Clerk. In whatever capacity he served he did so with efficiency and dependability. That he will succeed in his present position as president of the East Michigan Tourist association is assured. This high honor that has come to him brings with it an equal honor to Grayling. We're sure our citizens generally will join us in extending congratulations and best wishes.

## MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 23, 1938

At 10:00 a. m.—Bible School.

At 11:00 a. m.—Public Worship.

Be fair to yourself and go to church. This is a very important duty. Come along Brother.

H. W. Kuhlman, Pastor.

## SCHOOL TEACHERS ENTER- TAINED

The teachers of our public schools, Board of Education, and clergy were guests of the Woman's club at a pot luck dinner and reception at Michelson Memorial church Tuesday evening.

The dinner tables were very attractively decorated with autumn leaves, barberry and fruits of the harvest.

Following the dinner the president of the club, Mrs. Stanley Stealy, acting as toastmistress, introduced the following on the program:

Saxophone solo "Humoreske" Dvorak—Miss Ruth Kuhlman. Mrs. C. G. Clippert accompanist.

Talk—Mr. T. P. Peterson, President of Board of Education.

Duet—"Somewhere a Voice is Calling"—Mrs. Roy Milnes, Don Gotho.

Talk—Mr. Gerald Poor, Superintendent of Schools.

Saxophone solo—"O Sole Mio" Di Capua, Miss Ruth Kuhlman.

## PIONEER RESIDENT PASSED

David Flagg, age 73, a well known resident of Frederic and Grayling for a long number of years passed away at the Crawford County Infirmary Friday following a lingering illness.

Mr. Flagg was born in Canada March 4, 1865. He was a blacksmith by trade and in the horse and buggy days ran a blacksmith shop in Grayling. He has made Frederic his home for many years where his sister Mrs. Nancy Batterson and brother Elijah reside. One other brother, George of Grayling survives.

Funeral services were held from the Grayling Funeral home Saturday afternoon. Floyd Barnes officiating. Interment was in the Frederic cemetery.

## GRAYLING LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 23, 1938

There will be no Sunday School nor Services Sunday as the minister is attending an anniversary at Juhl, Mich.

There will be no Confirmation class Saturday, Oct. 22nd.

The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday, Oct. 27th, at the home of Mrs. Sam Rasmussen.

C. Stockholm, Pastor.

## Navy Day Thurs- day, October 27th

Navy Day was inaugurated in 1922 by the Navy League of the United States and its observance is sponsored annually by the League.

October 27th was selected because it is the anniversary of the birth of President Theodore Roosevelt, so much of whose life was devoted to establishing a sound naval policy for the United States of America. It will be remembered that President Roosevelt first achieved a national reputation by writing a naval history of the War of 1812, a work of such merit that it was incorporated into Clowe's Royal Navy, a monumental history of the British Sea Service. Later, as Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and finally as President, Roosevelt bent his tremendous energies to impress upon the American people the necessity for an adequate Navy, and endeavored through his leadership to realize this ideal.

October is also the month in which the American Navy was founded in 1775 by the Continental Congress.

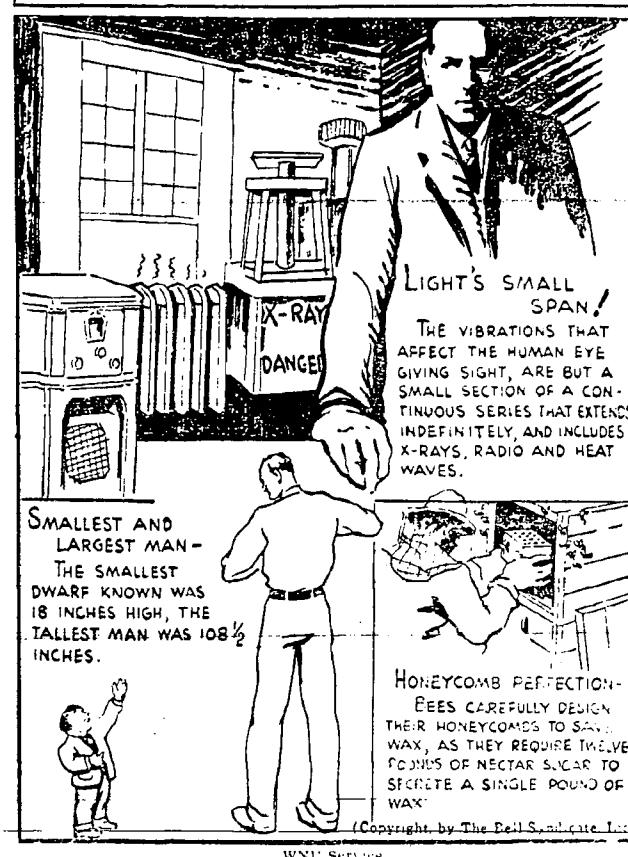
In addition to paying a deserved tribute to the sea heroes of the nation and recalling the splendid part the Navy has played in making and keeping us a nation, the Navy Day observance has proved a valuable means of fostering a better understanding of the Navy and its work. Such information, in a country where Government is by public opinion—is essential to the formation of correct judgments affecting naval policy, and in this work of information the Navy Day observance has played a considerable part.

With the cooperation of the radio broadcasting industry, the press and motion pictures, and with the participation of the Navy and other governmental agencies, as well as the American Legion, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and other patriotic societies, Navy Day has developed into a day of serious thought on the subject of reasonable Naval defense.

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## Supervisors Burn- ed Midnight Oil

### ANNUAL SESSION WAS BUSY ONE

The Board of Supervisors was in session practically all last week, and found plenty to do. It was the regular annual meeting when all affairs of the county had to be gone over and investigated.

Among the many duties coming before the board was the equalization of the townships. This in itself is a big job. Salaries for county officers had to be fixed for the next two years; appropriations had to be made, and contracts for fuel and other supplies had to be let. Besides this many people came before the board for institutional aid, and had to be interviewed. Altogether it was a very busy session. In order not to run the meeting into another week, Saturday's session was continued until late Saturday evening when it was nearly midnight when it finally adjourned. Every member of the board was in attendance at the session.

Oct. 3, 1938

Mr. George E. Brand, Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Brand:

Your letter of the 20th inst.

has been received and read with interest, but we have been unable to trace any history of the settlement of Latter Day Saints in the vicinity of Grayling, Crawford county, Michigan. James J. Strang and his followers who settled on Beaver Island did not locate in Michigan previous to that, but made their first settlement on the banks of the White river, near Burlington, Wisconsin, and named their location, Vorce. From Vorce they went to Beaver Island, Michigan.

From 1841 to 1845, Michigan was a Latter Day Saint missionary field and during that time 37 branches of the Church were raised up in different parts of Allegan, Branch, Berrien, Calhoun, Genesee, Hillsdale, Ingalls, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lapeer, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, St. Clair, St. Joseph, Van Buren and Wayne counties, all in south or south central parts of Michigan, and none of them as far north as the present Crawford county. So that we are unable to trace particulars of any settlement of Latter Day Saints near Grayling.

Clyde was born in Grayling, is a graduate of Grayling High school and was one of its best athletes during his high school career. His new job came through his association with the local theatre, he having served as usher for some time. Mid-State is one of the four theatres owned by George N. Olson, and his brother W. James of Clare.

Clyde is a clean-cut young man, has a fine personality, is enterprising and ambitious, and no doubt will make good in his new position, in which he is wished much success.

## Doings of Our Gang Club

The tenth anniversary of Our Gang was held at the home of Mrs. George Clise, with Mrs. Kenneth Clise, hostess.

Fourteen members were present. Mrs. Floyd Taylor was a guest. The afternoon was spent in keeping with the anniversary. Readings by Mrs. Wm. Williams and Mrs. Florence Wakeley were enjoyed.

Owing to the absence of the new officers installation was postponed until the next meeting. Games were enjoyed with prizes awarded to Mrs. John Stephan, Mrs. Larry Bach, Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Mrs. Wm. Brown and Mrs. George Clise.

Birthday gifts were given to Mrs. Edna McEvers and Mrs. Percy Budd. The beautiful birthday and anniversary cake was made by Mrs. George Clise. Decorations of autumn leaves and evergreens were scattered throughout the rooms.

Everyone enjoyed the good fashioned pot luck lunch.

Mrs. Dewey Palmer will be hostess Oct. 27.

## State Police Will Patrol the Summer Homes of Resorts

## 200 Attend Welfare Amendment Meeting

### 20 COUNTIES REPRESENTED BY OFFICIALS

What will be good news to our summer residents who own property on the lakes and streams of Michigan is the report that the State Police will patrol them throughout the winter, leaving signs under the doors stating when they were there and the condition of the property at that time.

Last year Sheriff Deadman proposed such a service which was well appreciated. Thirty-nine men, local business men and other residents who were interested, seeing that cottages were not broken in, carried on a systematic inspection. Many letters were received by them showing the appreciation of the visitors for this thoughtfulness.

The 200 state police patrol covers an area 60 miles in circumference with Gaylord as its center. They will also carry on systematic cottage inspections in this same area. Gaylord Herald Times.

## Frank Corwin Funeral Held Sunday

Funeral services for Frank P. Corwin were held Sunday afternoon at the Grayling Funeral Home. Rev. H. W. Kuhlman of Michelson Memorial church officiating. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery, and the pallbearers were all nephews of the deceased. Miss. Helen Babbitt and Mrs. June Underwood beautifully rendered "In the Garden" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" during the services.

Mr. Corwin was found dead in his at his farm home in South Branch township Thursday morning by neighbors. Dr. Stanley A. Steady coroner, reported that death was due to apoplexy and that he had been dead since Wednesday night.

Mr. Corwin was born in Wayne, Mich. in 1889 and when he was six years old came to Crawford county with his parents, the late Andrew and Sarah Corwin, and they settled in what was then known as Pine Cliffs. He was united in marriage to Mary Bowles of Beemer and to the union one daughter was born, having lived in Crawford county for 52 years. Mr. Corwin was an old and much respected.

Surviving are his daughter Mrs. Thelma Sinclair of Owosso; three brothers and four sisters: Orson of Northville; Nelson and Charles, Mrs. Eva Wiegard, Mrs. Mary Biggs, Mrs. Chris Hosel and Mrs. Cecilia Gladney all of Grayling, and there are two grandchildren. Those from out-of-town at the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair and children of Owosso; Orson, Corwin and son Emerson of Northville, Mich.; Ernest and Everett Corwin and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schenck of Flint.

Singularly is the fact that Wayne County would not come under the provisions of the proposed amendment, which county would be governed under the Home Rule plan, but still the people of that county are privy to the vote on the amendment that will effect the welfare law for all other counties of the state.

In case the amendment is defeated the next legislature can prepare a new welfare reorganization law that will meet with the approval of the people of Michigan.

These and many more were the general sentiments expressed by the speakers. Charles Foenstra, Grand Rapids, a member of the state legislature, made a most stirring address on the subject and appealed to those present to vote the defeat of the amendment.

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**1938 A.A.A. OFFICERS ELECTED FOR COUNTY AND COMMUNITIES**

Delegates from eight communities in Crawford-Otsego counties met Saturday in Gaylord and elected the County Agricultural Conservation Committee for 1939. William Hansen of Gaylord was elected chairman; Walter Wiegand of Johannesburg vice chairman; Darrel Fleming of Gaylord was elected third member, and Hajmar Mortenson of Grayling and Joseph Latuszek of Gaylord were elected as alternate members.

At the community election meetings held Friday, community committees similar to the county committees were elected. Committee members for Crawford county communities for 1939 are:

Frederic Lovells and Maple Forest Townships.

Chairman, Elwood F. Jewell; vice chairman, James Ray Murphy; third member, Arthur Bigham; and alternate members are Charles Owen and Jay O'Dell.

Beaver Creek, South Branch and Grayling Townships; Chairman, George Annis; vice chairman, Charles Corwin; third member, John Smallwood; and alternate member, George Wolf.

The purpose and duty of the county and community committees is to cooperate with and assist the Secretary of Agriculture in the administration of the Agricultural Adjustment Act and other acts included in the national Farm Program.

All farmers who have participated in the 1938 Agricultural Conservation Program...

who plan to participate in 1939 were eligible to vote in the community elections. Those members elected committeemen for 1939 took office immediately upon being elected.

**Home Economics Extension Notes**

The first meeting of the Grayling Group I Home Economic Extension club on the project of "Home Furnishing", was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Knibbs last Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 2. Nine members were in attendance.

The topic of discussion was "Curtaining Windows." The lesson was ably presented by the chairman, Mrs. Dewey Palmer, who acted as leader in absence of the regular leaders. Mrs. Hulda Deckrow and Mrs. Knibbs, who were unable to attend, the leaders' meeting.

This lesson was very interesting and instructive as it showed the different kinds of material to be used for curtains and draperies also the correct lengths for different types of windows, how to make curtains correctly was also learned.

The social meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. York Edwards on Oct. 26. Members who were absent are urged to be at this meeting so they may make up the first lesson.

The second lesson meeting will be held Dec. 14, at the home of Mrs. Charles Corwin.

The meeting was adjourned at 4 o'clock and everyone enjoyed a hot lunch.

Mrs. Barton Wakeley, Sec.

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**Personals**

Mrs. John Brady is visiting relatives and friends in Detroit this week.

Ralph Hanna of Traverse City was in Grayling Saturday calling on old friends.

Mrs. Harold McNeven and daughter Gloria spent the week end in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen of Marquette visited their parents here Sunday.

Miss Margaret Laage was home from C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant, for the week end.

Esmond Stiles spent Monday in Pinconning attending to U. S. Court business.

Mrs. Hattie Moshier and son Charles, spent the week end visiting in Flint.

Miss Wanda Cardinal left for Detroit Monday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnow Hanson spent the week end visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Guy Reid, in Twining.

Clement Blaine and Robert Sorenson drove to Ithaca Sunday for the opening of pheasant season.

Miss Mary Montour, who assists in the Landsberg store at Inkster, visited at her home here Sunday.

Mrs. Theodore Kristofferson of Flint is enjoying a ten days visit among friends in Grayling and Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Winterle and son Howard spent Saturday and Sunday in Mt. Morris visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Loskos of Grand Rapids are visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Kate Loskos.

Miss Muriel DeLaMater is taking a week's vacation from her duties at the Burrows Market, and is visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. Esbern Hanson returned Tuesday after spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson Jr. at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cogswell and daughter Helen of Detroit, enjoyed the week end at Hill Top cabins south of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen and son Vernon, Mrs. Herbert Gothro and Mrs. Alfred Hanson were in Alma Thursday, on business.

Mrs. Liland Smock and son Don and Miss Bernita Chappell visited Mr. Smock at University Hospital, Ann Arbor, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wium, Mrs. Margaret Green and son William, of Detroit, spent the week end at the Wium cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Chester Lozon and children returned to their home in Maple Forest after being at the home of her father, Henry Jordan, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jamieson and daughters Lois and Joyce, of Cadillac, were the week end guests of Mrs. Jamieson's sister, Mrs. Herluf Sorenson and family.

Mrs. Robert Ziebell, Mrs. Gus Anderson, Mrs. C. B. Johnson and Mrs. Molly Bosworth were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Yuill, Tuesday, in Vanderbilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walters, of Flint, spent the week end in one of the Randolph cottages. Mrs. Walters took three dips in the lake during her stay here, and said the water was fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ekkens and children of Bay City spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Ekkens mother, Mrs. Kate Loskos, helping her to celebrate her birthday anniversary which fell on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schram and little daughter Sally were in Traverse City Monday, where the little girl underwent medical examination at the Central Michigan clinic, having been one of Mr. Kriepke's patients in Detroit for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Staudacher, daughter Erdine and son Don of Saginaw, called on old friends here Sunday. The Staudacher family made Grayling their home during the time the Dupont Company was in operation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Weiss Sr. left Thursday to spend several days visiting relatives and friends in Monroe. She accompanied her son Harry, who is enjoying a vacation from his duties as manager of the A. & P. market at Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. Viggo Mikkelsen and family of Detroit spent the week end at their cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Mikkelsen also called at the Kriepke barber shop, he having been one of Mr. Kriepke's patients in Detroit for years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anstett of Saginaw spent Monday in Grayling on business and calling on old friends. They have rented their home to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowland, the former who is director of Grayling school band.

Going to Breckenridge for pheasant hunting over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. John Papendick, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson and Leo Lovely. The party were guests of the Ed. Papendick family there.

A. J. Clark, lineman for the Tri-County Telephone Co. here is taking a week's vacation from his duties. He left Saturday for Saginaw, and will also visit in Watervliet and Kalamazoo. Ed. Vanderhof of Alpena is taking his place for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt and son Howard, accompanied by Mrs. Babbitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber, of Roscommon, left Thursday and returned Monday spending the time visiting relatives in Bay City, Detroit and Farmington. At the latter place Dan had the pleasure of a pheasant hunt, bagging his first bird.

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Everything—whether necessity or luxury—has hidden taxes concealed in its price, the commission declares. They take 11 cents of the price of a 40-cent piece of meat; 18 percent of the price of sugar, \$1.85 of the price of a \$6.85 hat.

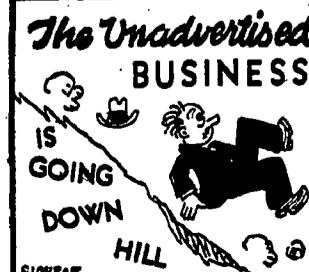
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#### Habits of Beavers

A pair of beavers select a site in a valley which has only thin patches of topsoil left by erosion and where the forest reflects the poor soil conditions. They erect a dam, applying an amazing number of engineering principles in its construction, and create a pond, usually of several acres. They build a house in the pond and cut down trees along the shore. They feed on the bark of the trees, cut up the trunks and limbs and use them as material to repair the dam. If there is danger of the main dam breaking, they build several retaining dams below it to lessen the pressure.



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### Crawford Co. Gets \$8,399 Hi-way Funds

For General Election Tuesday November 8, 1938

To the Qualified Electors of the several

TOWNSHIPS AND CITY OF GRAYLING

County of Crawford, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," we, the undersigned Township Clerks, and City Clerk, will upon any day, except

Sunday and upon a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township, not already registered who may apply personally to the clerk of the Township or City in which said voter may reside, for such registration. Provided, however,

that the clerks of said Township or City can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second

Saturday before any regular

special or official primary election and the day of such election.

The last day of General Registration does not apply to persons who vote under the "Absent Voters" Law.

Notice is hereby given that the clerks of said townships and city will be at the usual place for such registration.

Wednesday, October 19, 1938.

The Twentieth Day preceding said election, as provided by Section 3, Chapter 3, Part II, P. A. 30, Session of 1929. And on

Saturday, October 22, 1938.

The Last Day.

From 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said Township or City as shall properly apply thereto.

The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

Dated Oct. 8, 1938.

Signed:

Dan C. Babbitt, Clerk,

Grayling Township.

George A. Granger, Clerk,

City of Grayling.

Kendell Welch, Clerk,

## Grayling

Frederick Township, A PICTURE-STORY OF MT. PLEASANT  
Martha J. Petersen, Clerk,  
Maple Forest Township.

Frank Minckin, Clerk,  
Upper Creek Township,  
John F. Fioster, Clerk,  
South Branch Township,  
Edna McCormick, Clerk,  
Lovelis Township.

Two pages of photographs tell the story of Mt. Pleasant's industrial, civic and cultural progress. See these fascinating photographs in the popular Pictorial Review of Sunday's Detroit News.

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The quantity of available salt seems inexhaustible. It occurs in practically every country. About 20 million tons is produced and consumed annually in the world. Of this amount, about seven million tons is produced in the United States.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 21, 1915

One of the prettiest autumn weddings was that of Miss Anna Olson, when she became the bride of Mr. Ditlev Nikolin Schjotz. The wedding took place Wednesday evening at the Danish Lutheran church before a large number of friends of the families. Rev. Kjelhede officiating. The bride was becomingly gowned in white silk net over white messaline and wearing a veil of net fastened with a pearl Grecian band, and carrying a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Ruby Olson and Miss Anna Nelson were her attendants, with Marie Olson as ring bearer. Anchor schjotz, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Waldemar Olson and Ernest Larsen officiated as ushers. Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party and guests went to the Danebod hall where the reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Schjotz left on a wedding trip to Detroit, Chicago, and points in Wisconsin.

Clyde Gates, bookkeeper at the Mrs. Insley and Keyport offices, is ill at Mercy hospital.

Miss Julia Michelson of Kalamazoo is visiting her sister Mrs. Baumgard.

Mrs. Robert Reagan entertained her sister, Mrs. Jos. Malafan, of Cheboygan the forepart of the week.

Miss Carrie LaGrow entertained her friend Miss Hazel Greanya of Standish the forepart of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Meilstrup are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter, born Tuesday the 19th. The young lady will be known as Maxine Ardell.

Dr. S. N. Insley and John Larson are driving fine new 1916 Buick Sixes. They arrived Tuesday.

Word has been received announcing the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gustafson on

Saturday, Oct. 16th at their home in Detroit. Mrs. Gustafson was formerly Miss Ethel Ayres of this city.

Joseph Letzkus left Monday for Bay City and Mrs. Letzkus and daughter Elizabeth left Wednesday. The family expect to make their home in Bay City, where Mr. Letzkus has secured a position.

Misses Angeline VanPatten and Iole Milnes spent Sunday in Saginaw.

A fine son was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Montour Friday morning at Mercy Hospital. The newcomer's name is Stuart Joseph.

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Frederic  
(23 Years Ago)

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Art Cameron is relieving at the bank while School Commission-

er Kalahar is making a school inspection tour.

### Frederic School Notes (23 Years Ago)

Dolly Smock is a new pupil in the intermediate room.

Maria and Raymond Brown have gone to Waters for a short time.

The best thing so far this season was a musical program given by the school last week. Miss Mae McDermaid was in charge.

### Lovells (23 Years Ago)

Mrs. Rose and daughter Virginia of Detroit are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Redhead, on the Main street.

Percy Budd, who has been working the past months on the Raybourne ranch, has moved his family and household goods to town, and will be employed by T. E. Douglas.

Mrs. F. Seymour of Grand Rapids having spent two weeks very pleasantly with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Redhead, returned to her home Saturday.

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Tuesday, Nov. 8, A. D. 1938. For the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz:

STATE Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Auditor General.

CONGRESSIONAL—Representatives in Congress.

LEGISLATIVE—State Senator, Representative in State Legislature.

COUNTY—Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioner, 2 Coroners, Surveyor.

Notice is hereby further given that at the time and places of holding the General Election, there will be submitted at said election, four proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Michigan, viz:

(Proposal No. 1)

Amendment to provide for a Four-Year Term of Office for County Clerk, Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, Treasurer and Register of Deeds.

This amendment, if adopted, will provide for a four-year term of office for the above-named officers, to take effect January 1, 1939.

(Proposal No. 2)

Amendment to provide for the Non-Partisan Nomination and Appointment of Supreme Court Justices for Eight-Year Terms.

This amendment, if adopted, will provide for the appointment of justices of the supreme court by the governor from names submitted to him by the judiciary commission, which commission shall be composed of one supreme court justice, one circuit judge, one probate court judge, three members of the state bar and three electors of this state not licensed to practice law.

(Proposal No. 3)

Amendment to provide for the Amended to Guarantee That Gasoline and Motor Vehicle License Plate Taxes Paid by Motorists Be Used for Highways, Roads and Streets.

Adoption of this amendment will require that all gasoline and weight (license plate) taxes collected from motorists for highway purposes continue to be used for such purposes. It does not apply to any other taxes. It does not grant any additional taxing power to the legislature, nor restrict its right to change the rates and methods of allocation of such motor vehicle taxes.

(Proposal No. 4)

Referendum on Act No. 257 of the Public Acts of 1937, Being an Act to Provide for the Transfer of the Administration of Certain Existing State Public Welfare and Relief Matters, Services and Duties to the State Department of Public Assistance Created by Said Act, and to Abolish the Various State Departments, Boards, Commissions, and Offices so Transferred.

The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 6 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Dated Oct. 8, 1938.

Signed:

Dan C. Babbitt, Clerk, Grayling Township.  
George A. Granger, Clerk, City of Grayling.  
Kendell Welch, Clerk, Frederic Township.  
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Louise McCormick, Clerk, Lovells Township.  
Frank Millikin, Clerk, Beaver Creek Township.

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## LOCALS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1938

Clyde Glover, mail carrier, has rented the Fournier house and will be moving there from the Sam Smith house.

Here is what you have been waiting for—our 1c Sale, Oct 19th to 22nd inclusive.—Mac & Gidley, druggists.

Postmaster James McDonnell is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties this week and is spending it around home.

Storm sewer is being laid at the present time along Ionia street. This is part of the \$13,000 sewer project the City has under way.

The Ladies Aid society of the Michelson Memorial church will have a rummage sale on October 21 and 22, in the church basement.

Mrs. Esther Peterson is having a vacation this week from her duties at the Drs. Keyport & Cipper offices. Miss Jayne Keyport is supplying during her absence.

John Corcoran and Stephen Downey, state auditors, have just completed their annual audit of the County books at the Court house and found them as usual in fine shape.

Mrs. Cecil Boyes left this morning for her home in Winnipeg, Manitoba, after being in Grayling since early in the summer, caring for her mother, Mrs. Joel Fournier, who passed away recently.

A lovely birthday party planned by neighbors and friends was given Friday afternoon honoring Mrs. James Sherman and Mrs. William Blaine, who were celebrating their anniversaries.

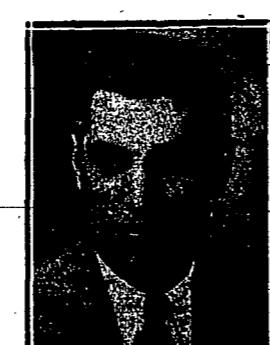
It was held at the Blaine home and there were a large number present. Both ladies were presented with nice gifts.

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**Clarence (Tony) Gross**



Republican Candidate for  
County Clerk

Born in Grayling.  
Attended Grayling Schools.  
I will thank you for your  
Vote.

The Kiwanis club ate chicken at Mrs. John Knecht's last evening, instead of having their regular noon meeting at Shoppengangs Inn. The fellow always have a good time there.

Harold C. Bellows, Democratic candidate for congressman of the 10th district will be the main speaker at a dinner at Shoppengangs Inn tonight. Incidentally Mr. Bellows is the father of Miss Bellows, who was principal of Grayling schools some years ago.

Miss Dorothy Roberts entertained the Junior Aid society Thursday evening. After the business session, Rev. Stockholm read an interesting story of the Leper colony, in India. Several new members were taken in at this meeting. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Word from Detroit announces the marriage of Mr. John W. Kuster to Lora Mary Rosso, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Rosso on Saturday, Oct. 8. The groom is the son of Mrs. Catherine Kuster of Almeda, Mich., and the family were former well-known residents of Grayling.

Little Ronald Larson received a badly bruised hand Sunday, when returning from Sunday school he was invited to ride. In some way he fell off the seat after getting into the car, and his right hand got in the way of the door, and it was slammed shut upon it. No bones were broken but it was a painful injury.

General election November 8th. It's a good principal to vote. Who's going to elect our prosecuting attorney, clerk, treasurer, sheriff and register of deeds? Please have part in this responsibility. And you mothers should be vitally interested in this election. Be sure you are registered and then be sure to vote.

Home Extension Group III met at the home of Mrs. Wilfred Laurant Friday afternoon, Miss Odie Sheehy and Mrs. W. J. Heric assisting. To learn exactly how to make curtains, what materials to use, the right lengths to hang them, and in fact every item in curtaining windows made a very interesting topic for the first lesson in the course.

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Fire caused from a defective chimney called the City fire department Saturday afternoon to the home of Harold Edwards. This was the former Herdeline property and Mr. Edwards recently purchased it from Herman Pylavainen and had moved in last Wednesday.

Among nimrods coming for the opening of the bird season were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Knight Jr., of Grosse Isle, and their guests Mr. and Mrs. Ford of Detroit, who were at the former's lodge, Camp Swastika on the AuSable, until Tuesday. The party succeeded in getting a number of birds.

Editor S. P. Minier of the McBain Chronicle, was a caller at the Avalanche Office Tuesday. Mr. Minier is a man of strong convictions and principles and stands for the higher things in community life. He is a member of the Board of Supervisors and a justice of the peace. "Drunk drivers," said Mr. Minier, "don't get far in my court and their drivers licenses are always cancelled."

Douglas Knuth, age 12 years, is at Mercy Hospital suffering from a broken arm. The accident happened when the lad making the route Thursday with his brother Max Lett, driver for Grayling Laundry, fell downstairs in a building at West Branch, with a bundle of laundry in his arms. It happened that forenoon and the boy continued on the route with his brother, arriving in Grayling that afternoon.

Teddy Bill Cody, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cody, was the victim of a peculiar accident Sunday afternoon. He was playing with a rifle shell and was in the act of pinching it together with a pair of pliers when it exploded. The charge struck him in the stomach cutting a deep gash, and it was necessary to take him to Mercy Hospital to have the wound dressed. He remained until Wednesday, when he was removed to his home.

The regular business meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be at the hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 25th.

Miss Patten and Miss Tumath, teachers, have moved into the Sam Rasmussen's apartments on Michigan Avenue.

Our Christmas greetings are now on display. We invite you to drop in while the line is complete—Avalanche Office.

Blanche's Beauty Parlor is now open for business next door to Grayling Bakery. We will be pleased to see our old customers and any new ones.—Blanche Hull.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson entertained her Bunco club Monday night and Mrs. Floyd Taylor and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen had high scores. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Six more cases of scarlet fever have been quarantined this week among them are: Eugenie Wheeler, Bruce and Terry Neilson, Joan Corwin, Beatrice Brown and Douglas McDaniels.

The patrons and patronesses for the Golf Club Hallowe'en Frolic to be held Tuesday evening November 1, at Grayling Golf Club, are: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McNamara, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welsh, and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson.

Last Sunday was like a day in June and in calling the Grayling Fish Hatchery we found that the thermometer registered 73 degrees. Most every day for the last couple of weeks the sun has shone and the temperature has been very mild.

Grayling Mercy Hospital is the only one in Northeastern Michigan north of Bay City that is on the approved hospital list of the American College of Surgeons. Further west the hospital at Cadillac and one at Manistee share like honors.

It's Planting Time and ideal conditions now! Visit the Nursery to know the better types of evergreens, trees and shrubs and flowers. Charlevoix County Nursery, 6 miles S. E. of Charlevoix (Near Ironton Ferry.) 10-6-4

City workmen are filling in the space at the foot of Park street and a new street is to be opened running between Park and State streets this side of the new City sewer pump house. The stretch will be graveled and will be a continuation of Ingham street.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robertson, who have been residing at Hunt's Creek for the summer, where Russell has been caretaker of the rearing ponds there. He has been transferred to the Grayling Fish Hatchery. They will rent the Bissonette house on Spruce street.

Mrs. Dennis Amburgey is in Ann Arbor with her daughter Thelma, age ten, consulting specialists concerning the child's health. The girl went through the child's clinic at Traverse City, and last week was taken to Ann Arbor.

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VOTE Yes AMENDMENT No. 3

H. Marks, supervising engineer from the U. S. Treasury department, and the superintendent of construction of the new post office that is being erected at Traverse City, were in Grayling Wednesday inspecting Grayling's post office.

Alfred Sorenson returned last night from Lansing where he wrote on an embalmers examination. Mrs. Sorenson and his mother Mrs. George Sorenson accompanied him and the latter stopped in Grand Rapids to visit her mother Mrs. Peter Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamm entertained 10 couples at their home Tuesday evening at a Treasure Hunt, with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Russell and Anna Stickford and Howard Granger reaching their treasure first. Other games were enjoyed during the evening. The hostess served a tasty lunch, closing a pleasant evening.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 21, 1915

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Clyde Gates, bookkeeper at the Drs. Inslay and Keyport offices, is ill at Mercy Hospital.

Miss Julia Michelson of Kalamazoo is visiting her sister Mrs. Baumgard.

Mrs. Robert Reagan entertained her sister, Mrs. Jos. Malafan, of Cheboygan the forepart of the week.

Miss Carrie LaGrow entertained her friend Miss Hazel Greanya of Standish the forepart of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Meistrup are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter, born Tuesday the 19th. The young lady will be known as Maxine Ardell.

Dr. S. N. Inslay and John Larson are driving fine new 1916 Buick Sixes. They arrived Tuesday.

Word has been received announcing the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gustafson on

er Kalahar is making a school inspection tour.

### Frederic School Notes (23 Years Ago)

Dolly Smock is a new pupil in the Intermediate room.

Marie and Raymond Brown have gone to Waters for a short time.

The best thing so far this season was a musical program given by the school last week. Miss Mae McDermaid was in charge.

### Lovells (23 Years Ago)

Mrs. Rose and daughter Virginie of Detroit are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Redhead, on the Main stream.

Percy Budd, who has been working the past months on the Reaybourne ranch, has moved his family and household goods to town, and will be employed by T. E. Douglas.

Mrs. F. Seymour of Grand Rapids having spent two weeks very pleasantly with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Redhead, returned to her home Saturday.

Misses Angeline VanPatten and Ida Milnes spent Sunday in Saginaw.

A fine son was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Montour Friday morning at Mercy Hospital. The newcomer's name is Stuart Joseph.

Mayor and Mrs. Hans Petersen returned Tuesday from an auto trip to Selkirk, near West Branch, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carscadden in that village over Sunday.

Miss Anna Nelson entertained on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Anna Olson. Late in the evening a two course luncheon was served by the hostess.

A pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, at Eldorado, Tuesday evening, when Miss Grace Lillian Crane was united in marriage to Boyd J. Funsch. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ira Kinney in the presence of relatives, after which a sumptuous wedding supper was served.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wiley living on the Borcher farm on the South Side.

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Armadus Charron of Munising has been in town the past few days visiting his father, J. C. Charron and calling on old friends.

Art Cameron is relieving at the bank while School Commission-



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## Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that a General Election will be held in the several townships and city of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, at Town Hall and City Hall, within said Township and City on

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For the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz:

STATE—Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Auditor General.

CONGRESSIONAL—Representative in Congress.

LEGISLATIVE—State Senator, Representative in State Legislature.

COUNTY—Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioner, 2 Coroners, Surveyor.

Notice is hereby further given that at the time and places of holding the General Election, there will be submitted at said election, Four Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Michigan, viz:

(Proposal No. 1)

Amendment to provide for a Four-Year Term of Office for County Clerk, Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, Treasurer and Register of Deeds.

This amendment, if adopted, will provide for a four-year term of office for the above-named officers, to take effect January 1, 1939.

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Amendment to provide for the Non-Partisan Nomination and Appointment of Supreme Court Justices for Eight-Year Terms.

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Here is what you have been waiting for—our 1c Sale, Oct 19th to 22nd inclusive.—Mac & Gidley, druggists.

Postmaster James McDonnell is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties this week and is spending it around home.

Storm sewer is being laid at the present time along Ionia street. This is part of the \$13,000 sewer project the City is under way.

The Ladies Aid society of the Michelson Memorial church will have a rummage sale on October 21 and 22, in the church basement.

Mrs. Esther Peterson is having a vacation this week from her duties at the Drs. Keyport & Cappert offices. Miss Jayne Keyport is supplying during her absence.

John Corcoran and Stephen Downey, state auditors, have just completed their annual audit of the County books at the Court house and found them as usual in fine shape.

Mrs. Cecil Boyes left this morning for her home in Winnipeg, Manitoba, after being in Grayling since early in the summer, caring for her mother, Mrs. Joel Fournier, who passed away recently.

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The regular business meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be at the hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 25th.

Miss Patten and Miss Turnath, teachers, have moved into the Sam Rasmussen apartments on Michigan Avenue.

Our Christmas greetings are now on display. We invite you to drop in while the line is complete—Avalanche Office.

Blanche's Beauty Parlor is now open for business next door to Grayling Bakery. We will be pleased to see our old customers and any new ones.—Blanche Hall.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson entertained her Buncie club Monday night and Mrs. Floyd Taylor and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen held high scores. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Six more cases of scarlet fever have been quarantined this week among them are: Eugene Wheeler, Bruce and Terry Nelson, Joan Corwin, Beatrice Brown and Douglas McDaniels.

The patrons and patronesses for the Golf Club Hallowe'en Frolic to be held Tuesday evening November 1, at Grayling Golf Club, are: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McNaughton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welsh, and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson.

Last Sunday was like a day in June and in calling the Grayling Fish Hatchery we found that the thermometer registered 73 degrees. Most every day for the last couple of weeks the sun has shone and the temperature has been very mild.

Grayling Mercy Hospital is the one, in Northeastern Michigan north of Bay City that is on the approved hospital list of the American College of Surgeons. Further west the hospital at Cadillac and one at Manistee, share like honors.

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City workmen are filling in the space at the foot of Park street and a new street is to be opened running between Park and State streets this side of the new City sewer pump house. The stretch will be graveled and will be a continuation of Ingham street.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robertson, who have been residing at Hunt's Creek for the summer, where Russell has been caretaker of the rearing ponds there. He has been transferred to the Grayling Fish Hatchery. They will rent the Bissone's house on Spruce street.

Mrs. Dennis Amburgey is in Ann Arbor with her daughter Thelma, age ten, consulting specialists concerning the child's health. The girl went through the child's clinic at Traverse City, and last week was taken to Ann Arbor.

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Tom Thumb Circus (Trained Animals)—November 10.

Daniel Dew (Novelty Entertainment)—December 8.

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Briggs and Brown (Chalk Talks and Musical)—May 8.

Season tickets are yet available and can be secured from any member of the Senior class. They are still a big bargain as the price of one full single admission has been subtracted to make up for the one number that has already been presented.

The public speaking class are selecting a list of plays to study with the intention of presenting a series of one act plays and the final presentation a full length play. The plays will be presented in connection with some other function of the school and the proceeds are to be given to that function.

In spite of the wonderful weather making it possible for the utmost in ease in harvesting crops, we still have a few absences daily. Maybe the trouble is the fact that hunting season is on and some just cannot resist it. We hope all can soon "get back" because it is harder for all to

funds. Under this provision a total of two and one-half million dollars in federal highway aid funds could be withdrawn from Michigan annually, if ever this state should permit diversion.

And Michigan is not the only state in which a similar amendment is to be acted upon at the November election. Six other states will vote on this issue this year—California, North Dakota, Nevada, Indiana, Alabama and New Hampshire.

If Michigan voters approve the amendment when it is offered them, they will find that they have voted themselves a perpetuating highway system, which will continue for all their lives to give them pleasure.

Concerned when there is much absence.

The first N.Y.A. checks arrived Monday and there were many smiling faces to be seen after they had been given out. There seems to be more pleasure in receiving the check than in doing the work to make the check possible.

Mr. Shotwell of Petoskey was here last Friday and talked to those in typing-classes. He gave them many pointers in how to become a good typist, as well as showing them several practical tricks with a typewriter as well as describing the uses of many other business and office machines. The time spent listening to him was certainly well spent.

The Frederic soft ball team avenged their 9 to 7 defeat by Grayling at Grayling earlier in the year by defeating the Grayling boys in a close, tense game last week by the score of 4 to 2. Cram's mound work was worthy of praise but the deciding feature was a surprise double by Jack Bigham with two men on the bases.

**Highway Fate  
Awaits**

(Lansing State Journal)  
The people of Michigan are to be given an opportunity to perpetuate a highway system that is one of the finest in the nation, when they go to the polls in November, because at that time there will be a vote taken on passage of an amendment to the state constitution, designed to prevent the diversion of highway funds for other governmental purposes.

Whether there will be organized opposition to the amendment remains to be seen, but its sponsors, the Michigan Good Roads Federation, hopes there will be none. Nevertheless citizens would do well to acquaint themselves with the purpose and provisions of this most important amendment. Its passage may mean the difference between a continuation of Michigan's ever-advancing road program, and a slow death for the system.

In a state which leads the nation as an automobile manufacturing center, and possessing more than its just share of cars per capita, it is all the more important that it should take the lead in providing for continuation of its highway development program. For one thing the state has 3,000 miles of gravel roads and state trunkline highways that should be improved immediately, by the application of some sort of low-price surfacing. There is need for several divided-lane highways on some of the state's most heavily traveled routes, particularly in the Detroit area. It is important that old roads be developed, because there can be no standstill in Michigan highway development.

The diversion amendment is designed and written and one thought in mind—the prevention of the use of state highway funds for any other purpose than the construction and maintenance of Michigan highways.

It should be known, too, that the amendment does not apply to the general sales tax, property taxes on cars, the use of tax or fees collected under the auto theft and the operators' and chauffeurs' license laws. Part of these taxes are used for state police enforcement purposes. The amendment as it is written does not affect any of these minor taxes—it deals entirely with the gasoline tax and the weight tax.

The spectre of possible diversion of highway department funds to other departments of government, is a constant threat to the highway program and it must be removed. The amendment in question will remove that threat.

There is another important reason why the amendment should have the unanimous support of Michigan's voters. Under the working of a federal law, a state is penalized up to one-third of the federal aid it is entitled to, if the state in question permits diversion of its highway

funds. Under this provision a total of two and one-half million dollars in federal highway aid funds could be withdrawn from Michigan annually, if ever this state should permit diversion.

Judges of the exhibits were Mr.

Bowman of Gaylord, and Miss Edmund, also of Gaylord. These people, both graduates of Michigan State College, and experienced as critics in agricultural products, were highly pleased with the boys' and girls' exhibits, and they did their judging impartially and carefully. Miss Edmund stated that the quality and appearance of the canned products exceeded any she has previously seen this year, including exhibits at the Traverse City Fair. Potatoes grown and shown by Edmund Howse, Harvey Dennis and Carl Richter, were nicely displayed.

The Garden Club exhibit consisting of garden produce and some flowers grown by seven boys and girls, was, perhaps, the outstanding feature of the exhibit. Cleanliness, neatness and



**JOHN E. DOHERTY  
CANDIDATE FOR  
STATE SENATOR  
(28th SENATORIAL DISTRICT)**

John E. Doherty was born at Belica, N. Y., on a farm, September 26th, 1871. Finishing school at the Genesee Valley Seminary, Belfast, he came to Michigan in 1891. In 1892 he, with his brothers, J. M. and the late ex-senator, A. J. Doherty, formed a partnership known as the Coleman Hardware and Furniture Co. In 1898 he sold his interest in the company to his brother, and in 1901 he moved to Clare, Michigan and entered into the furniture, plumbing and heating business.

Having sold his furniture store in 1916, he has maintained the balance of his business down through the years—his sons now manage the business but he looks after his real estate and insurance business which he has had since 1912.

Mr. Doherty is not a politician, but in the early part of the century he was elected city clerk for a number of years and has been a member of the Clare Chamber of Commerce ever since it was organized many years ago, and also is, and has been one of its directors during most of the time. Mr. Doherty has been a licensed funeral director and embalmer for 45 years and is a graduate of the Boston College of Embalming and also holds a N. Y. state license. He has a home at Clare and a summer cottage at Lake George, Clare County and also owns the old Clare County Savings Bank block at Clare and farming lands in Clare and Isabella counties. Mr. Doherty is married and has five children and ten grandchildren. His good wife is known for her work in the Red Cross and charities drives in Clare county. He is a conservative business man and takes much interest in expanding the tourist trade in the 28th District, improved black top roads in all rural communities, in conservation, educational financial support, rural electrification, a just monthly pension for the aged and infirm and relief for all worthy persons.

In legislative matters Mr. Doherty is interested in legislation to reduce present legal interest rate, a tax measure that will tax all income above \$2,000 per year, including all salaries of public officials and on all securities of state and nation that are now exempt from taxation. He solicits the votes of the electors on a straight business basis, regardless of politics.

His name will appear in the Democratic column on the November election ballot and your vote as well as your active support will be greatly appreciated. (Advertisement contributed by friends.)

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Name	Year in Club	Kind of Club	Name of Club	Judges' Ratings	Special Awards Data
Edmund Howse	2nd	Potato	Hoe Your Own Row Club	A B A A	Honor Member. Delegate to Gaylord Camp.
Harvey Dennis	1st	Potato	Hoe Your Own Row Club	B C C C	
Carl Richter	4th	Potato	Hoe Your Own Row Club	C B B B	
Charles Owen	3rd	Calf	Future Farmers' Calf Club	A B A A	H. M. Club delegate.
Robert Owen	Under age	Calf	Future Farmers' Calf Club	B A A A	Participating member.
Robert Owen	2nd	Garden	Maple Forest Garden Club	B B A B	
John Payne	1st	Garden	Maple Forest Garden Club	B C C C	
James Payne	1st	Garden	Maple Forest Garden Club	B C C C	
Charles Owen	1st	Garden	Maple Forest Garden Club	A A A A	
Frances Plagens	1st	Garden	Maple Forest Garden Club	A B B A	
Nedra Hodge	1st	Garden	Maple Forest Garden Club	C A A B	H. M. High Credit.
Emma Jean Owen	3rd	Garden	Maple Forest Garden Club	A A A A	H. M. Club delegate. County Honor Member.
Dora Feldhauser	1st	Canning	Clever Canners' Club	A A A A	H. M.
Eleanor Winston	3rd	Canning	Clever Canners' Club	B C B B	H. M. Club delegate.
Katherine McMillan	1st	Canning	Clever Canners' Club	A A A A	H. M. Club delegate.
Emma Jean Owen	5th	Canning	Clever Canners' Club	A A A A	H. M. Club delegate.
Doris Armstrong	2nd	Food Preparation	Mothers' Helpers	A A A A	H. M. Club delegate.
Phyllis Lozon	1st	Food Preparation	Mothers' Helpers	A A A A	H. M. Club delegate.
Nedra Hodge	1st	Food Preparation	Mothers' Helpers	A A A A	H. M.
Marjorie Richter	1st	Food Preparation	Mothers' Helpers	A A A A	H. M. Club delegate.
Emma Jean Owen	1st	Food Preparation	Mothers' Helpers	A A A A	H. M.
Frances Plagens	1st	Food Preparation	Mothers' Helpers	A B C B	H. M. Club delegate.
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